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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08a.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1), as part of the original filing of the subject application.

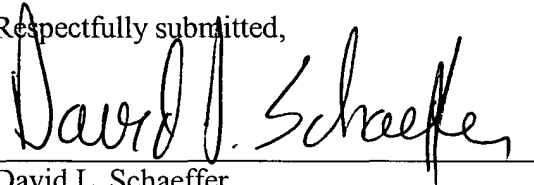
Furthermore, the cited references constitute the art of record from parent application no. 10/028,474, which is relied upon for an earlier effective filing date pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 120. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of such prior art have not been submitted.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08a be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may now or hereafter be due in connection with this application to Deposit Account No. 19-4709, as necessary.

Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required, please do not hesitate to contact applicant's attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "David L. Schaeffer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

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